



Kiwanis Club of Coldwater Weekly Newsletter

Serving the Children of the World

Monday, October 15, 2018

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- Jim Voss, President
- Ray Sebastian, President-Elect
- Tracy Kelley, 1st Vice President
- Patty Roberts, 2nd Vice President
- Mark Ott, Immed. Past President
- Stan Tipton, Secretary
- Kent Neitzert, Treasurer

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- Denny Brieske (2)
- Paula Brieske (2)
- Janet Ott (2)
- Deborah Tomlinson (2)
- Butch Parsons (1)
- David Sutherland (1)
- Dick Zeluff (1)

Meetings: Mondays @ 11:45 a.m.
Coldwater Elks Club
47 S. Division St.,
Coldwater, MI 49036

Motto

Serving the Children of the World

**Serving Coldwater and Branch
County since 1935 with youth
programs**

Upcoming Events:

More Peanut Sale this weekend

Future Programs:

**Oct. 22: Patriotic Program,
Jerry Ford**

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Today's meeting recap

President Jim Voss brought the meeting to order.

Members in attendance: Denny Brieske, Paula Brieske, Dave Brown, Bob Foote, Jerry Fuller, Phil Krauss, Greg Ledyard, Jack Lintner, Red Loose, Kent Neitzert, Janet Ott, Mark Ott, Butch Parsons, Patty Roberts, Maria Rosewarne, Tom Rosewarne, Ray Sebastian, Shirley Tipton, Stan Tipton, Deb Tomlinson, Jim Voss, Dick Zeluff

Guests:

Birthday/Anniversary: Two for one!! Greg Ledyard birthday and Anniversary (Marsha)

Happy Dollars today *(A reason to start the week on a positive and upbeat note)*

Condolences to Jerry; Happy for new President & great bus trip to D.C. glad to be back; MSU victory & replays; Son's anniversary of 25 years; Spartan win & peanut update (two more days of selling @ Walmart) Awards for top sellers goes to Stan & Shirley and Mr. Neitzert; Beginnings Care for Life banquet & successful peanut sales.

S.W MI Employer Resource Network Upjohn Institute Sarah Beckle, Success Coach

- Employer Resource Network assists employers by working with their employees over personal problems that would affect work performance and absenteeism.
- ERN is a for profit organization that contracts directly with the employer for a fee. They are a part of Michigan Works!
- The employer benefits by reducing employee turnover.
- They are not part of Human Resources, and they act as the "coach" to motivate the employee, if necessary, one on one communication with full confidentiality.
- Assistance includes:
 - Coaching the employee
 - Small loans
 - Resource for car repairs
 - Childcare assistance
 - Housing
- In Branch County the most significant challenge for individuals is affordable housing, childcare and reliable transportation.
- They are reaching out by word of mouth in Branch County

Announcements:

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- Peanut Sales this week at Walmart on Friday and Saturday. Check with Ray to sign up.
- Thomas Oliver greeting program to support the Michigan Foundation is available to all members.
- Schools of Hope tutors needed (full time and substitute). It is a rewarding project.

50/50 Winner this week was: Ray

For the week ahead...

